

Applicant: Peter Irrgang

Title: Fishing Rod Handle

## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

U.S.A.

As below named inventors, we declare that our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as set out below, the information given herein is true, that we believe that we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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which is described and claimed in the attached specification, including the claims.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56 (a).

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code 119 of any foreign application for patent or inventors' certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventors' certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

<u>Foreign Applns.</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Priority Claimed</u>
2,315,442	Canada	August 10, 2000	Yes

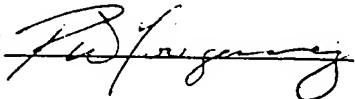
As the named inventors, we hereby appoint the following agent to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trade Mark Office connected therewith.

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We further declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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PATENT

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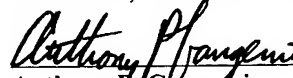
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

  
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August 13, 2003


REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY AND  
APPOINTMENT OF NEW ATTORNEY

Assignee of record of the entire interest for the above-identified application hereby revokes any other previous powers of attorney, and appoints: Downs Rachlin Martin PLLC, attorneys licensed to practice law in the State of Vermont with offices at 199 Main Street, P.O. Box 190, Burlington, VT 05402-0190, and Lawrence H. Meier, Esq., Registration No. 31,446, an attorney with the firm, and a member of the Bar of the State of Vermont, as its attorneys, with the full power of association, revocation and substitution, to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, all correspondence to be sent to him at the foregoing address.

Respectfully submitted,

WYE-YOSHI CORPORATION

Date: Sept. 8, 2003

By:   
Name: YASUO YOSHIDA  
Title: PRESIDENT, C.E.O.

Applicant: Peter Irrgang

Title: Fishing Rod-Handle

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Peter Irrgang and Yasuo Yoshida, citizens of Canada and Japan whose addresses are: 195 Chemin de la Mairie, Rigaud, Quebec, J0P 1P0, Canada and 4 Sunset Avenue, Senneville, Quebec, H9X 1S5, Canada, respectively (hereinafter called ASSIGNORS) have invented certain new and useful improvements in a FISHING ROD HANDLE for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been made; and

WHEREAS, Wye-Yoshi Corporation, a Canadian company, whose address is 4 Sunset Avenue, Senneville, Quebec H9X 1S5, Canada (hereinafter called ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in the United States in and to the aforesaid invention, and in, to and under any and all United States patents to be obtained therefore;

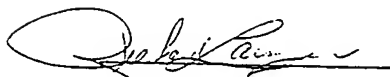
NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS have and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, their entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as described in the application filed herewith in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; also their entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents, reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in the United States on said invention, and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, or substitute application which may be filed on said invention in the United States; and the issuing authority is hereby authorized and requested to issue any and all patents on said invention to ASSIGNEE.

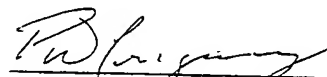
ASSIGNORS further agree without any payment by ASSIGNEE, other than expenses incurred by ASSIGNORS, to communicate to ASSIGNEE, its representatives or agents, facts relating to said invention, including evidence for interference purposes or for other proceedings, whenever requested; to testify in any interference or other proceedings, whenever requested; and to execute and deliver on request all lawful papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective, and likewise make these provisions binding upon any legal heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns, and ASSIGNORS hereby warrant that, at the time of execution and delivery of this instrument, they are the lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said application, and that the same are unencumbered and that they have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF ASSIGNORS hereunto set their hands

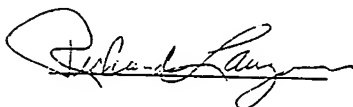
and seal this 6 day of APRIL 2001.

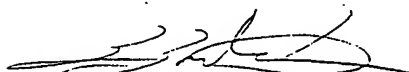
WITNESS(ES):

  
RICHARD LAUZON

  
Peter Irrgang

and this 6 day of APRIL 2001.



  
Yasuo Yoshida